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NO 8

SCHOOL BOOKS  
AND  
SCHOOL SUPPLIES  
CHEAPEST  
AT  
KENNEDY'S DRUG STORE.

## MT. STERLING Collegiate School.

THIS SCHOOL OFFERS A COMPLETE  
COURSE OF STUDY FOR GIRLS.

Opens September 2, '96.

Entrance to any of the Eastern Colleges in-  
sured, provided a sufficient time be given for  
preparation.  
How who are well behaved will be taken in  
the Primary and Intermediate Departments.  
No extra charge made and Elevation.  
The school of music will be in charge of Mrs.  
J. B. AND GIBBS, nee Miss Alice Graves.  
In addition to the regular school work, Mrs.  
Gibbs will have her usual private class in  
music.  
A few girls will be received as members of the  
family of the Principals. Orders can be accom-  
modated in homes near to the school.  
Address for Catalogue,  
MISS HELEN O. CHENAUT, Principal.

## GOODWIN'S Male High School

WILL  
BEGIN  
SEPTEMBER 2, 1896.

For catalogues apply to  
M. J. GOODWIN, Prin.

## Miss Jennie Breen Will begin her Class in Music

Wednesday, Sept. 2, '96.  
At the MARSHALL HOUSE on  
Clay Street, within convenient  
distance of all the schools. 2-1m

Remember the fair at Sharpburg  
this week—Wednesday, Thursday and  
Friday.

C. Alexander, Jr., and his sister  
Miss Carrie, of Paris, gave a deli-  
cious dinner party recently to friends  
from a distance. Misses Johnson, of  
this city, were among the guests.

Lindsay Coleman has been suc-  
ceeded by C. A. Turner as baggage mas-  
ter at the C. & O. office. Mr. Col-  
man was very accommodating and no  
doubt his experience here will bring  
to him a lucrative position. Success  
to you Lindsay.

Misses J. N. Kenon, of Maverville,  
Hanson Kennedy, of Carlisle, and S.  
S. Casely, of the Bath County Demo-  
crat, Ovingville, are the Committee  
of the Ninth district to receive Mr.  
Bryan Tuesday at Lexington and ac-  
companied him to Mayville, where he will  
speak at 7 p. m.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. A. Cassidy, of  
Homer, Ind., are visiting relatives in  
this city. Mr. Cassidy is a silver  
Democrat in his 75 year, and is the  
oldest brother of M. M. and A. J.  
Cassidy. This is his first visit to  
Kentucky in 15 years. In his session  
there are many Republicans who are  
said for Bryan without waiting for  
the consent of other nations.

## JUST READ THIS!

BRYAN AND SEWALL WILL CAR-  
RY THESE STATES AND  
OTHERS.

Clip This From Your Paper and  
see How Many More Will  
Fall Into Line.

The people have the matter of sav-  
ing the country in hand and they will  
do it.

Alabama	11
Arkansas	8
California	9
Colorado	4
Florida	4
Georgia	13
Idaho	3
Illinois	24
Indiana	13
Iowa	13
Kansas	10
Kentucky	13
Louisiana	8
Maryland	8
Mississippi	9
Minnesota	9
Missouri	13
Montana	3
Nebraska	8
Nevada	3
North Carolina	11
North Dakota	3
Oregon	4
South Carolina	9
South Dakota	12
Tennessee	12
Texas	15
Utah	3
Virginia	12
West Virginia	6
Wyoming	3
Total	274

## Condensed Testimony.

Chas. B. Hood, Broker and Manu-  
facturer's Agent, Columbus, Ohio, cer-  
tifies that Dr. King's New Discovery  
has no equal as a Cough remedy. J.  
D. Brown, proprietor of the St. James  
Hotel, Ft. Wayne, Ind., testifies that  
he has cured a cough of two years  
standing, caused by La Grippe, by Dr.  
King's New Discovery. B. F. Mor-  
rill, Baldwinville, Mass., says that he  
has used and recommended it and  
never knew it to fail and would rather  
have it than any doctor, because it al-  
ways cures. Mrs. Hemming, 222 E.  
25th St., Chicago, always keeps it at  
hand and has no fear of Croup, be-  
cause it instantly relieves. Free Trial  
Bottles at Wm. S. Lloyd's Drug Store.

Admirer of the great Robert J.  
2-01, the fastest harness horse in the  
world, will see him for the last time,  
as a race horse, at the Lexington trots  
commencing October 6th. The Ham-  
lins have sold the champion to Mr.  
Tewksbury, the rich New York road  
driver, and will deliver him after the  
Lexington meeting, when he will act  
as mate to Masot, 2-04. Thousands  
will be at Lexington to cheer the  
great pair if he succeeds in beating  
that mighty field against him—Joe  
Patcher, 2-03; Gentry, 2-03; Agar,  
2-03; and Rubinstein, 2-05.

## Sure to Win.

The people recognize and appreciate  
real merit. That is why Hood's Sas-  
parilla has the largest sales in the  
world. Merit in medicine means the  
power to cure. Hood's Sarsaparilla  
cures—absolutely, permanently cures.  
It is the one true blood purifier. Its  
superior merit is an established fact,  
and merit wins.

Hood's Pills are easy to take, easy  
to operate. Cures indigestion, head-  
ache.

## Notice.

As I am very desirous of having a  
uniformity of text books in all the  
Public Schools in the county, I have  
printed lists in my office of the late  
adoption, which teachers and trustees  
will please call and get and conform to  
the same as soon as possible.

I. N. HARRISON, County Supt.

The Lexington trots, always the  
greatest trotting carnival of the year,  
will begin Tuesday, Oct. 6th, and con-  
tinue ten days, the program amount-  
ing to the princely sum of \$75,000. Think  
of \$7,500 per day and over four hun-  
dred performers, including the great-  
est harness horses of the turf will be  
on hand to battle for the money.

The walls of the residence of W. A.  
Sutton will be completed this week  
and will be ready for the roof.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U. S. Gov't Report.

## Royal Baking Powder

ABSOLUTELY PURE

### WHERE KINDNESS PREVAILS!

Who would Not Be a Mountain  
Editor.

From one issue of the Hazel Green  
Herald we clip the following:  
"Bence Little and wife, of Gilmore,  
will please accept the thanks of the ed-  
itor and his better half for a fine large  
pumpkin shown at the fair. Yum,  
Yum, but won't the editor do justice  
to that particular pumpkin when it is  
converted into pies? Well, now, that  
will be a sight."

Jeffy Rose, of Lacey Creek, did not  
win the prize on sweet potatoes, his  
brother-in-law, O. W. Cecil, beating  
him by a scratch. But what Jeffy did  
do was the next best thing. He pre-  
sented them to the editor and his bet-  
ter half and the way the pencil pusher  
punished those potatoes "was a plenty."  
They were large, luscious and lack-  
ed not in sweetness. The last string  
of our sanctum is always on the out-  
side for you, Jeffy.

Little Miss Carrie Rose, daughter  
of J. M. and Mrs. Lizzie Rose, will  
please accept the thanks of the  
editor and his better half for a dish of  
the most delightful sweet peach pickle  
that it was ever our good fortune to  
smack our two lips over.

Monroe Stamper, better known as  
"Doc," will please accept the thanks of  
the editor and his better half for a mess  
of nice squirrels. In the language of  
Bill Linder, if there is any one vegeta-  
ble like better than another, it is the  
squirrel.

### This Afternoon.

Col. James H. Davidson, Republi-  
can from Illinois, will speak at the  
Court House this afternoon, at 2 o'clock.  
In advance, we would say that Dr.  
Davidson will follow in the old ruts  
on a policy favoring the few capitalists  
as against the interests of the com-  
mon people, such men as we meet  
every day and shake hands with.  
Well do we know how these poor fel-  
lows, who are but samples of the  
great throng, are struggling; some to  
save their homes and many for a scant  
living of bread and meat. And yet  
such men as Dr. Davidson are here to  
advise them to vote for men and mea-  
sures that will continue in this ver-  
tice, which have brought about exist-  
ing results. This is not a campaign  
of tariff, and the people will not long-  
er be deceived. It is a question of  
money, and the combined and capital-  
ists had as well yield to the inevitable.

When the people are aroused a-  
they are to-day, they will bring the  
needed relief. This campaign is but  
a repeating of history.

### A Natural Beautifier.

Karl's Clover Root Tea purifies the  
blood and gives a clear and beautiful  
complexion. For sale by Thos. Ken-  
edy.

## Nerves

Are the Messengers of Sense.—The Telegraph  
System of the human body.  
Nerves extend from the brain to every part  
of the body and reach every organ.  
Nerves are like fire—good servants but bad  
masters.  
Nerves are fed by the blood and are therefore  
like it in character.  
Nerves will be weak and exhausted if the  
blood is thin, pale and impure.  
Nerves will surely be strong and steady if  
the blood is rich, red and vigorous.  
Nerves find a true friend in Hood's Sarsa-  
rilla because it makes rich, red blood.  
Nerves do their work naturally and well—  
the brain is unclouded, there are no  
neuralgic pains, appetite and diges-  
tion are good, when you take

## Hood's Sarsaparilla

The One True Blood Purifier. All druggists. \$1.  
Prepared only by Dr. J. C. Hood & Co., Lowell, Mass.  
Hood's Pills are the best family cathartic  
and liver cleanser.

### EX-GOVERNOR BROWN

Sustains Great Bodily Injury By  
an Accidental Fall.

For some years the ex-Governor has  
been lame from a fall. In Louisville,  
on Thursday, he was waiting for a  
street car. When the car came he  
stepped from a cross tie on which he had  
been sitting. As he had to step from  
this elevation, his lame leg gave way  
throwing him to the ground and  
against the wheels of the car.

The large bone of his wrist was broken  
and the small bone dislocated. His  
left collar bone was broken at an  
old fracture where it was broken years  
ago. His left leg, which has been broken  
three times before this was also  
broken. He is a candidate for Con-  
gress. This accident will confine him  
for some weeks.

### Make the Most of Yourself.

It is the duty of every man to make  
the most of himself. Whatever his  
capacities may be, he is sure to find  
some place where he can be useful to  
himself and to others. But he cannot  
reach his highest usefulness without  
good health and he cannot have good  
health without pure blood. The  
blood circulates to every organ and  
tissue and when it is pure, rich and  
healthy it carries health to the entire  
system, but if it is impure it scatters  
disease wherever it flows. Hood's  
Sarsaparilla is the one true blood  
purifier. It cures salt rheum, scrofu-  
laris, eczema, dyspepsia and rheumatism  
because these diseases have their origin  
in the blood.

### Curative Springs For Kidney Trouble.

Mr. Jacob See, of this county, has  
returned from Morgan county, where  
he went in search of health. He was  
gone from home and was at the  
springs two weeks, and was very  
much benefited. The first spring he  
attended is known as the Hiram  
Greer spring on the waters of Grassy  
Creek. Mr. See first drank water  
from the spring on the South side of  
the mountain, where he remained one  
week at the home of Hiram Greer, one  
of the most hospitable men in the  
mountains. Mr. Greer is 73 years old  
and is a very active old man. The  
waters on this side of the mountain  
are warmer than waters on the North  
side, with about the same medicinal  
properties. The spring on the North  
side is known as the Amey  
Spring. Mr. See boarded one week  
with Mr. Andrew Amey, where he  
was quite sick and required the kind-  
est attention. While these waters are  
comparatively unknown, it is a fact  
where a real test has been made, that  
they have proved themselves a posi-  
tive permanent cure for kidney trou-  
bles. Mr. See makes the statements  
above for the benefit of those afflicted  
with kidney troubles. Mr. See is  
one of our most prominent and reli-  
able farmers, and these statements can  
be relied upon.

During last week four banks failed  
in New Orleans, three National and  
one State. Too free a use of other  
people's money by the officials caused  
the failure of the Union National. Its  
two individual book keepers embe-  
zzled \$500,000. Why are the banks so  
hard pressed under these single stan-  
dard times?

Dr. W. P. Harvey preached to an  
attentive audience at the Baptist  
church, this city, Sunday morning and  
to a large and attentive audience  
at Howard's Mill, in the afternoon.  
Dr. Harvey's subject was "Why I am  
a Baptist." It was a fine sermon, de-  
livered with great power and earnest-  
ness.

A good cup of coffee can always be  
obtained on by those who use Chase &  
Sutton's Java and Mocha Blend.  
CHILDS, THOMPSON GROCERY CO.

## SEVEN UNFORTUNATES

Unmindful of the Rights of Their  
Fellow Men. Violate the Laws  
and Must Suffer For  
Their Folly.

### TEMPTATION CAME AND THEY YIELDED.

These Are Men For Whom Christ  
Died.

During the past week of Circuit  
court, seven men have been convicted  
and sentenced to the State prison. We  
give below their names, offenses and  
terms of imprisonment.  
Dillard Adams, white, forgery 5  
years.  
Frank Walker and R. A. Wilson,  
white, housebreaking, 4 years each.  
Wm. Bell, colored, striking with a  
deadly weapon, two years.  
Wm. Kemper, colored, hog stealing,  
3 years.  
Albert Reffitt, white, shooting with  
intent to kill, 4 years.  
John Wilson, black, housebreaking,  
5 years.

Frank Walker and R. A. Wilson  
had broken into Mr. Sondheim's  
store in Steptone. Refused to be in-  
terviewed. Albert Reffitt in resist-  
ing arrest had shot at policeman John  
Taul. He is 17 years old and says he  
was under the influence of whisky  
at the time. Dillard Adams was for-  
merly from Clay county, but at the  
time of his trouble was engineer at a  
mill in Clark county. He is a wid-  
ower and has three children in their  
15th, 10th and 8th years. They are  
in Exile county.

On Monday Mr. Trimble, of the  
ADVOCATE, went to the jail to talk  
with the men under sentence. Some  
of them did not care to be interview-  
ed. With several he talked freely in  
regard to the rights of their fellow-  
men, the necessity of the execution of  
the law, the unfortunate condition of  
men who in an evil hour commit of-  
fenses; he expressed regret that they  
so far refused to obey God's law, as to  
be guilty of offenses for which they  
had been convicted.

'Tis strange that men will not  
profit from the experience of others  
who have committed like offenses and  
been punished. The same life of for-  
getfulness of God and Christ, the  
same life of sinful indulgence and un-  
restrained temper, the same drunken  
habits and reckless carrying of dead-  
ly weapons, continue to fill the dock-  
ets of our courts, our jails and pris-  
ons.  
Oh that men would learn to be  
wise, that they would know that the  
way to peace, prosperity, joy and  
eternal life is not through the brothel,  
gambling houses and saloons. 'Tis  
true that men who have experienced  
these difficulties and sorrows may be  
restored to honorable living and can  
become useful and respected in the  
world and bless them; but why these  
sorrowful experiences. Men,  
think of these things.

Rev C. J. Nugent closed his labors  
for this conference year, with his  
church, Sunday evening. Brother  
Nugent is a christian gentleman, ever  
ready to do his master's bidding, and  
Mr. Nugent is a real helper in the  
great and responsible work to which  
they have been called. What good  
they have done, the seeds sown and  
fruits gathered, they will not know  
till the Lord calls them up higher into  
His presence, when all things will be  
fully revealed. We are fond of Bro-  
ther Nugent and his estimable family  
because of their exemplary walk, their  
real worth, and because of Brother  
Nugent's pronounced view, which he  
has the courage to proclaim. Such  
positive character are of untold worth  
to any community, and their works  
will be perceptibly felt years after  
they have gone to their reward. We  
hope it will be the wisdom of the con-  
ference to return Bro. Nugent to this  
field.

### The Daily Free Lance

Which started here three months  
ago suspended publication Saturday  
night.

## AUCTION SALE

WILL BEGIN AT

## ENOCH'S BARGAIN HOUSE.

Saturday, Sept. 19

Morning Sale 10 o'clock.  
Afternoon Sale 2 o'clock.  
Night Sale, 7 o'clock.

Our first Sale on Saturday morn-  
ing will consist of

DINNER SETS,  
TEA SETS,  
HANGING LAMPS,  
STAND LAMPS,  
—AND—  
ODD CHINA AND GLASSWARE

### OUR 2 O'CLOCK SALE

Will be our big sale of CARPETS  
and MATTINGS. We have  
about  
200 yds. of Brussels,  
300 yds. best all wool,  
300 yds. extra heavy Cotton,  
300 yds. cheap carpets,  
400 yds. mattings.  
Our Matting is the best grades  
that retail at 35c a yard. We also  
have a big line of RUGS that go in  
this sale.

### OUR NIGHT SALE

Will consist of NOTIONS, DRY  
GOODS, SHOES, Etc.

### MONDAY'S SALE

Will commence at 10 o'clock and  
continue throughout the day.  
Will sell all classes  
of goods.

HARDWARE, GRANITE,  
TINWARE, GLASSWARE, Etc.

There is no one that can afford  
to miss this sale. So all come and  
lay in a year's supply.  
Respectfully yours,

## Enoch's Bargain House,

MAIN STREET

MT. STERLING, KY.

LOUIS H. LANDMAN M. D.  
OCULIST AND OPTICIAN.



No. 411 W. Ninth Street, CINCINNATI, OHIO

will be at MRS. OLDHAM'S Main St.,  
MT. STERLING, KY.

THURSDAY, Oct. 22, 1896,  
ONE DAY ONLY, returning every Second  
Thursday in each month.

Glasses properly adjusted to all forms of de-  
fective vision at popular prices.  
Reference—Every physician practicing at  
Mt. Sterling.

## EXECUTORS' SALE.

On Thursday, September 17, '96

At 10 o'clock a. m. on the premises of  
John R. Blount, lately deceased, the  
undersigned Executors will sell at  
public auction to the highest and best  
bidder, a lot of Household and Kitchen  
Furniture, Agricultural Imple-  
ments, Horses and Cattle, and grow-  
ing crop of Corn, Oats, etc.

The purchasers of corn can have  
privilege of feeding same in field.  
Terms of sale: Cash for all sums  
under \$10; three months note with  
good security for sums over that  
amount.

H. H. BIGGS,  
J. H. BIGGS,  
W. H. Fletcher,  
Executors.  
Auctioneer.











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Tuesday, Sept. 8, 1896.

TERMS OF ANNOUNCEMENT.

For County Offices. . . \$ 8  
For District . . . 10  
Cash must accompany order.  
No announcement inserted until paid for.

DEMOCRATIC TICKET.

Presidential.

For President of the United States,  
W. J. BRYAN,  
of Nebraska.

Vice-President of the United States.

ARTHUR SEWALL,  
of Maine.

Congressional.

For Congressman, Tenth District,  
T. V. FITZPATRICK,  
of Floyd County.

For Circuit Judge.

We are authorized to announce  
JUDGE B. F. DAY,  
as a candidate for Circuit Court Judge of this district, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

We are authorized to announce  
M. S. TYLER,  
as a candidate for Circuit Court Judge of this district, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

We are authorized to announce  
C. W. NESBITT,  
of Bath County, as a candidate for Circuit Court Judge, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

We are authorized to announce  
J. H. WILLIAMS,  
of Monroe, as a candidate for Commonwealth's Attorney of the First Judicial District, composed of the counties of Bath, Montserrat, Mendon and Rowan, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

We are authorized to announce  
WILLIAM A. YOUNG,  
of Rowan, as a candidate for Commonwealth's Attorney of the Second Judicial District, composed of the counties of Bath, Montserrat, Mendon and Rowan, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

We are authorized to announce  
NEWTON R. BRIGHT,  
as a candidate for Circuit Court Clerk of Montserrat County, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

We are authorized to announce  
J. L. HAINLINE,  
as a candidate for County Court Clerk, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

We are authorized to announce  
THOMAS D. JONES,  
as a candidate for County Court Clerk of Montserrat County, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

We are authorized to announce  
H. C. GILLISTE,  
as a candidate for County Court Clerk of Montserrat County, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

We are authorized to announce  
JOHN B. PHIPPS,  
as a candidate for the office of City Attorney of the city of Mt. Sterling, subject to the action of the Democratic party. November election 1897.

We are authorized to announce  
W. T. STOKLEY,  
as a candidate for Mayor of Montgomery County, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

We are authorized to announce  
W. F. RYD,  
as a candidate for Assessor of this county, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

We are authorized to announce  
H. C. RATLIFF,  
as a candidate for Assessor, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

Judge Ed. C. O'Rear, of this city had an appointment to speak at Hesterville on Thursday. Circuit Court being in session, there was a large crowd in town. Court adjourned for the speaking. Judge O'Rear kindly agreed to divide time, so H. B. Kinsolving, who was in town for the purpose, responded to Judge O'Rear. Both parties are enthusiastic. We are informed that there are some men on both sides who will bolt their nominees.

There was an enthusiastic meeting of Democrats at the school house near Iron bridge over Grassy Lick Creek, Aaron's Run precinct, on last Thursday night. The meeting was addressed by J. C. Chenault, Judge B. F. Day, J. P. Turner and A. A. Hazelrigg. A Bryan club was formed with everybody present as members. One hundred were enrolled. S. S. Priest was elected President and J. K. Henry Secretary. The next meeting of the club will be held at Siderow on Saturday night, Sept. 19, at 7 o'clock.

Easy to Take  
Easy to Operate

Are features peculiar to Hood's Pills. Small in size, tasteless, efficient, thorough. As one man

Hood's  
Pills

said: "You never know you have taken a pill till it is all over." See C. F. Hood & Co., Proprietors, Lowell, Mass.

The only pills to take with Hood's Sarsaparilla.

The State Convention of Gold Democrats on Aug. 25 in Illinois nominated for Governor Gen. John C. Black. The general declaration the great honor thrust upon him by men anxious to save this country. In the letter of declination the General says:

I recognize the disinterested character and lofty aims of your organization; that it exists to establish the Democracy upon its ancient foundation and amidst its ancient principles, a refuge for its erring brethren in the future and assurance of free government.

I recognize the unselfish devotion of the men present in your convention to principle and Democracy, but I am further convinced beyond a reasonable doubt that the only effect in the election of my candidacy would be to diminish the chances of one or the other of these gentlemen for election; Tanner, Republican, and Aligold, Democrat.

Would it not have been wise and patriotic if Mr. Palmer and Mr. Buckner, had, recognizing the uselessness of their candidacy, said, we do not wish to interfere with the election of Mr. McKinley or Mr. Bryan, therefore we decline. Anyhow, that was record of Palmer will lay him on the shelf. Gen. Buckner will, we suppose get some votes, butler as he is.

"Hailed with satisfaction at Republican Headquarters," is an expression of approval concerning a Democratic official in high circles.

Why don't the members of the McKinley Aid Society openly declare for McKinley and quit trying to make people think they are Democrats, and contending for Democratic principles. If a man wants to change his party and principles, let him change, accept the name, principles and methods of your new love and don't sail under deceptive colors.

For Sale or Rent.  
The property on North Mayville street, which has been occupied by Major Fowler for school purposes. An acre lot with a good residence and outbuildings.

Also brick residence on corner of Mayville and High streets.

For further particulars apply to:  
COL. THOS. JOHNSON.

The electric light company under the management of George W. Baird, Recorder, is giving excellent service. The fact is, Mr. Baird does not over-charge. He can be seen every day and evening, going around giving personal attention to the lights. The lights are burning every night over the entire town and with each week he adds new consumers. The machinery he has kept in perfect condition. We have now a light equal to that in any city.

The richest trotting race in the world, Kentucky's Futu ity, \$25,000, will bring to the post at Lexington on October 6th, next, the pick of the candidates, including: Fred S. Moody, 1:21; 2:11; Bosman, 2:15; Surpel, 1:15; Louie, 1:17; Oliverwood, 2:14; and others. It promises to be the "corking" race ever trotted by three-year-olds.

The marriage of Mr. Dan Prewitt and Miss Alys Burton will take place at the home of the bride's father, this city, tomorrow afternoon 2 o'clock. This young couple are well known in this community. They will spend their honeymoon at Torrent, Ky, that attractive resort, a place suited to meditation love and delight. A moonlight at Torrent is a dream for lovers.

We honor great and true men and delight to respect their views, on a difference how widely they differ from us, but we emphatically will not encourage a man who have, by the will of the people, been put to the highest position, and by their own unadvised brought disgrace both to themselves and their constituents.

W. C. P. Breckinridge will speak here Thursday on the political issues. Mr. Breckinridge has great speaking powers, and that said all has been said. As a financier, a man of morals weighed in the scales, he is a feather weight. Such men going through the country arouse hostility to any party. What is right, is of his own making. It was right over to turn Mr. Breckinridge down, it is right to stand by the verdict rendered.

Harter's old wheat flour at A. Baum & Sons'. Every sack guaranteed.

On last Saturday night, a young man, aged about 22 years, a native of West Virginia, Arthur Duffly name who had been engaged as a farm hand near Thompson station, came to this city, bought a suit of clothes, and after looking about for a while, returned to the store got his clothes dressed up and went into a den where wicked and degraded women are permitted to live. Other depraved men entered the den of wickedness, a door was kicked down, an altercation occurred and your Duffly is today at death's door. No hopes of recovery.

His intestines were out in seven places. He was taken to the office of Drs. R. Q. Drake and W. R. Thompson where these gentlemen, with Dr. C. B. Duerson, operated on him, making him as comfortable as possible.

Duff had a half-brother in Bath county, who is here with him. E. H. Foreman, son of John Foreman, was arrested, charged with having done the cutting. He was brought before Judge Johnson on yesterday. His case was continued until next Monday. He gave bond in the sum of \$2,000 and was released.

The Old Baptist Association.

The Particular Baptist Association held with the Mt. Carmel Church, in Clark county, was largely attended. On Sunday, the last day, an immense crowd gathered and they were treated to three excellent sermons by some of the best preachers in the Association.

Quite a number of people from this city were in attendance. Rev. S. H. Durant, of New York, one of the most ablest divines in the Association preached an instructive sermon at the Baptist Church, this Sunday night, and Elder W. Lively, of Alabama, filled the pulpit last night.

Rev. J. H. Scott, of Hazel Green, has been called to the pastorate of the Pleasant Hour Colored Baptist Church of this city. He has accepted the call and his labor began on the 7th. Rev. Scott, assisted by Rev. C. H. Johnson, is now conducting a meeting at the Pleasant Hour Church and considerable interest is being taken.

Rev. G. L. Sarber, formerly pastor of the Christian church in this city has gone to Nashville, Tenn., to assume the presidency of the Southern Christian College, a new college for girls. His wife will be matron and his children will teach in the school. His many friends here wish him and his family success in their new work.

On Thursday night, September 17, Elder J. T. Pieratt will begin a protracted meeting at Salt Lick, Bath county. Sunday following being the fourth Sunday in September, he will preach the funeral of the wife of Simpson Blevins at 10:30 a. m., and at 3 o'clock in the afternoon he will preach the funeral of W. M. Hurst's child at White Sulphur.

The first exhibition of the Young Men's Fair and Trotting Association will be held on the grounds of the Bath County Stock and Trotting Association, near Sharpburg, Ky, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, Sept. 16th, 17th and 18th, 1896.

Over 150 horses with records from 2:04 to 2:15 will start at the great annual trotting meeting at Lexington, which commences October 6th. Five or six years ago there were hardly as many 2:20 performers in the country.

Lost  
On last Wednesday night between the Christian church and north terminus of Howard avenue, a pair of steel framed spade-stools. Return to this office.

The schools have opened. The children must have the Little Giant School shoe from Chensault & Pusch.

Shot His Former Wife.

Saturday evening one James Bush, a resident of Clark county, with a reputation anything but enviable, and who, it is said, was a demon with his family, learning that his former wife (she secured a divorce about two years ago) was at her sisters' Mrs. James' in this city, came here to Mrs. Tade's house, and when an opportunity presented itself, shot Mrs. Bush through the breast, the ball coming out under the right shoulder blade. Bush then made his escape but was captured at his home on Co-swell Gravel farm and is now in jail. Mrs. Bush is seriously hurt, with very slight chances of her recovery.

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I have used many preparations for restoring hair to natural color, but never had satisfactory results till I used Zulu Vuller; It will restore any hair or beard to its natural color in three weeks. If it does not they return your money, so you take no risks. People who have never tried it can get a sample package which contains enough to restore any one's hair to its natural color, by sending 21 two-cent stamps, to pay postage, etc., to Wilson & Co., New Concord, Ohio. The regular price is \$2.50 per package. If it does not restore your hair to its natural color or make any color of hair darker in three weeks, they will return your stamps. This proposition is so fair that thousands are using it. It is a hair restorer, but never why can't big money be made by selling Zulu Vuller from house to house?

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She listened to a beautiful rendering of the child's own composition. The piece was played without a discord, and the little tot, astonished with her own talent, repeats it with delight. She has never received any instruction in music.

CORRESPONDENCE.

Grassy Lick.

Misses Stella Ogg and Maud Quimby, of Mt. Sterling, were visiting the family of H. K. Greene last week.

Eq. John Evans and N. Mason were in Madison county last week and bought 79 head of feeding cattle at \$2 and 24 cents, weight 1,000 lbs.

Rev. A. J. Ross and wife, of Carmel, Ky., are spending a few days with the family of A. Orser. Rev. Ross will attend the State Conference at Somerset this week.

Fred Riddle has completed the best school house in the county for district No. 25 on the farm of Richard Stover at the cost of \$500. Mr. Alton Gay has been employed to teach the school.

The Baptist Association held at Mt. Carmel, Clark county, last week was well represented by their different churches in the State. A good deal of free preaching and much business was transacted, and a large attendance every day.

Lexington will be represented by the free silver advocates to-day from this section. If all preachers in the section are as solid for free silver as Grassy Lick is, Bryan and Sewall would carry the State by the old time majority say 45,000.

The thunder storm of last Saturday night was rather frightening to some of the citizens of this section. The display of lightning was wonderful. At the residence of J. H. Mason a large locust tree, standing within 15 feet of the house, was struck, tearing the tree to pieces and throwing the shivered pieces of timber on the metal roof. The family thought the house was struck. A large farm bull was hanging in the tree and it escaped unhanged.

Rev. J. J. Johnson on last Sunday preached his last sermon for this conference year at Grassy Lick. He had charge of this and Mt. Zion churches for the past two years. As a pastor and preacher the Kentucky Conference has no better, and his religious teaching is to elevate men, women and children and make them better.

With his christian character and his social dealings with these people he has won the hearts of all whom he has come in contact with. By the full indorsement of both of these charges, the people expect the conference to return Dr. Johnson to us, as no other preacher will satisfy them, nor can do the work he has begun.

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Miss Stella Turner won the prize at Ruddell's Mills oratorical contest last Tuesday night.

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A. T. Forsyth, auctioneer, sold privately at Paris, Ky., five shares Agricultural Bank stock at \$220 per share.

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### PERSONAL MENTION.

Mrs. Reid Rogers was in Cincinnati last week.

Miss Sallie Anderson is visiting friends in Georgetown.

Mrs. J. A. Vansant and children visited in Paris last week.

Miss May Stone, of Louisville, is visiting Mrs. Alfred Ratliff.

The Bryan speaking at Lexington is being attended by a tremendous crowd from here.

Mrs. Lena Whitehead, of Williamsburg, (nee Smith) will visit friends in this city this week.

Miss Minnie McCormick left on Saturday to enter Hamilton College at Lexington this week.

Mat A. Hart, who preaches at Corlath every month, has obtained license to marry—other people.

Mrs. John H. Oldham and Mrs. Elizabeth Douchette are visiting relatives in Middleborough.

Miss Carrie Clark, of Cincinnati, who has been visiting at J. M. Oliver's, returned home Wednesday.

Rev. C. J. Nugent will leave for the Kentucky Conference to-day which meets at Somerset to-morrow.

Wallace McGuire, a leading lawyer of Eastern Kentucky, from West Liberty, was in town last week on legal business.

Mrs. C. J. Nugent, who has been quite sick for the past week, is very much improved, but will not be able to attend the Conference.

Misses Mary Stewart and Nellie Anderson, of Independence, Mo., who have been at George W. Anderson's, returned home last Wednesday.

J. E. Lee and wife, of Danville,

were here Wednesday and were accompanied home by their son, J. H. Lee, who has been visiting here for some days.

Mrs. Annie D. Thompson, of Lexington, passed through this city Monday for Jeffersonville, taking her son, Milbourn, to enter him with Prof. Greenwade in the Jeffersonville Industrial School.

J. W. Wilson, of the Commercial Hotel, who has for three weeks been at Retoskey, Mich., on Lake Michigan, on account of hay fever, has returned. The climate there completely relieved him as long as he was there. Hundreds of people similarly affected were there and all were greatly benefited.

Mr. A. Scobee, who has been visiting relatives at Green Castle, Ind., for three weeks, returned home last week. He reports heavy fruit yield and crops of all kinds except wheat are good. There is much interest in the Presidential race. The general impression is that Indiana will go for Bryan and Sewall.

Hon. James H. Williams, of Frenchburg, candidate for Commonwealth's Attorney of this district, was in the city yesterday. Mr. Williams is an original bimetalist, and says if there is a Democratic "gold bug" in Menefee county he can't be found. There are not a few Republicans who are for silver and who will vote for Bryan and Sewall, and they are not "just across the hill," either.

### Many Deaths Result From Carelessness.

Jack Wilson, ex-Sheriff of Lawrence county, was badly mangled in his sawmill pit while at work near Louis, on Sept. 7.

### Death of J. C. B. Duff

Our county has sustained a great loss. Death has removed from our midst a prosperous, influential, highly respected christian gentleman, Mr. J. C. B. Duff a farmer and merchant of the Spencer neighborhood. He died on Tuesday night, September 8, 1896, at his home on Spencer Creek after a sickness of about 10 days duration. The technical name of the disease is purpura hemorrhagica, and is a disease characterized by excessive loss of blood. He was the son of S. A. and Sarah Duff and was born in Wolfe county in 1856. With his father's family he moved to this county in 1871. He was married in 1878 to Miss Emma Perry. Their home has been blessed with three children. Nineteen years ago he became a christian and from several years was a deacon of his congregation, interested in Sunday School and other christian activities. His funeral service was conducted at Spencer church on Thursday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Duff were married by Rev. Hella Metcalf, and the funeral service was conducted by him, as at the time of Mr. Duff's death, Rev. Metcalf was engaged in a protracted meeting at Jeffersonville near by.

The Masonic Lodge, of which Mr. Duff was an honored member attended the funeral and administered the burial rights of that order.

We deeply regret the loss of so good a man, yet we sorrow not as those who have no hope. He sleeps in Jesus. This thought is our comfort. To his sorrowing wife, children and extensive circle of kindred we extend a brother's sympathy, and commend them to our loving heavenly Father.

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